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The Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Kevin W. Culp, et al. v. Kwame Raoul, et al.*, No. 19-487

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, Respondents Kwame Raoul, Brendan F. Kelly, and Jessica Trame respectfully request a 60-day extension from November 14, 2019, to January 13, 2019, to file their response to the petition for certiorari in the above-captioned case. Counsel for the petitioners consents to this request.

This extension is necessary due to current and recent work responsibilities. Specifically, I recently drafted a response brief in *Holsapple v. Illinois*, No. 5-19-0013 (Ill. App. Ct. Oct. 11, 2019), and a motion to certify an interlocutory appeal in *Powell v. Illinois*, No. 18-cv-6675 (N.D. Ill. Oct. 28, 2019). I also assisted in drafting an answer to a petition for rehearing *en banc* in *Henry v. Reynolds*, No. 16-4234 (7th Cir. Oct. 15, 2019), as well as briefs in opposition to the petitions for a writ of certiorari in *Thomas v. Anderson*, No. 18-1424 (Sept. 30, 2019); *Givens v. Illinois*, No. 18-9761 (Oct. 18, 2019); and *Morgan v. Schott*, No. 19-47 (Oct. 29, 2019). Additionally, I am responsible for drafting several briefs with deadlines in November and December 2019, including the opening brief in *Powell v. Illinois*, No. 19-3144 (7th Cir.), on December 9, 2019. Finally, as Deputy Solicitor General, I devote substantial time to performing supervisory and administrative duties, such as reviewing briefs, managing the office's amicus docket, reviewing multistate litigation requests, and helping attorneys prepare for oral arguments.



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This is the respondents' first request for an extension of time. It is not made for the purpose of delay, but solely to insure that the respondents' interests are adequately protected. Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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